

YES OR NO?

St. Louis People Are Respectfully Asked to Answer These Questions:

Is there anything in the evidence of the case?

Is there anything in the testimony of the witnesses?

Can reliance be placed upon statements from people who have been shown to be unreliable?

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**BLINDED BY PEPPER,
DETECTIVE CAPTURES THIEF.**

Girl Holds on to a Department Store Shopper Until Officers Come, to Her Assistance.

New York, Oct. 2.—Half-blinded by pepper, thrown into her eyes by a shopkeeper, a girl caught in the act of stealing, Rose McLaughlin, a detective employed by a New York department store, pluckily held on to her prisoner until the police came to her assistance.

McLaughlin, another detective in the employ of the store, came to her assistance and handcuffed the man.

Then Miss McLaughlin, who is 22 years old and pretty, marched the shopkeeper back to the office of the coroner, where he was searched and goods to the value of \$10 found in his pockets.

From letters found on the prisoner, he is believed to be a member of a well-known Philadelphia gang. He secured a transfer card at the store in the name of "E. McLaughlin, Savoy Hotel," but a key in his pocket located him at the Hotel Imperial, where he was identified as a man who registered there as "J. Gibson McLaughlin." Letters on his person were signed "Your affectionate mother," and dated at West Philadelphia. At the West Philadelphia station he gave his name as J. H. Harrison.

Miss McLaughlin observed the man's suspicious movements about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and following him through the store, saw him secretly several small articles in his pockets. The attention of Dittman was called to him, and as McLaughlin was about to march the shopkeeper back to the office of the coroner, where he was searched and goods to the value of \$10 found in his pockets.

"Excuse me, sir, but will you step back into the store?" said the man.

"That doesn't make any difference," interrupted Dittman. "You are under arrest."

The man stepped back quickly, and drawing a box from his pocket, began hurling pepper at the two detectives. Dittman saved himself by throwing up his arm. Miss McLaughlin caught several dashes of the pepper in her eyes, but, springing forward, grasped the arm of the man and held him. Dittman then snapped the handcuffs on his wrists.

When the man was searched, socks, handkerchiefs and trinkets were found in his pockets, together with several articles which looked as though they had been taken from a hotel.

After he had been identified at the Imperial, the man was locked up at the West Philadelphia station. He refused to make any statement.

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DAYLIGHT THIEF STRIKES JEWELER.

Charles Dahmer Boldly Attempts Robbery in the Forenoon, Hammering Victim With Pistol.

BOTH FALL INTO SHOW CASE.

Noise Attracts Policemen, Who, With Aid of Two Citizens, Capture Robber Despite His Threats to Shoot.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, Oct. 2.—Jacob Feinberg, a jeweler, of No. 28 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, came near losing his life while defending his property against a thief, who beat him into unconsciousness with the butt of a revolver.

The man was captured after a fight with a policeman and two citizens. Feinberg was restored to consciousness after considerable effort. He told the police a remarkable tale of the attempt at daylight robbery. He said that shortly after 10 o'clock his assistant, who was fashionably clad, entered his store, which is on Long Island City's busiest street, a block from the Borough Hall, and asked to see an engagement ring.

Feinberg placed a tray containing three diamond rings on the show case. Then he came from behind the counter to close the door which the prospective customer had left open.

"Hold up your hands, or I will blow out your brains," said the man. Feinberg's hands went up.

"Now open the safe," commanded the stranger, holding a pistol to Feinberg's face.

"Take all the jewelry in sight if you will," said Feinberg, "but I won't open the safe. Take it all to go."

The high-strung customer moved closer to Feinberg.

"Open that safe," he cried, but Feinberg, who was trembling, refused.

Round and round the show the pair fought like mad men. Feinberg, using his fists and the rubber striking with the revolver, tried to shoot but the report should alarm the police.

They backed into a show case and fell with it. Feinberg was on the bottom, and the robber was on top. The robber, who was a Jew, fell on the top of the show case, and Feinberg, who was a Jew, fell on the bottom.

HIS ESCAPE SHUT OFF.
The robber made for the back door, but it was locked. He started to the front, but the fall of the broken glass had attracted Policeman James McCall, who was on duty. The robber, who was a Jew, fell on the top of the show case, and Feinberg, who was a Jew, fell on the bottom.

Two citizens joined the policeman, who drew his revolver, and the three overpowered the robber. At the police station he said that he was Charles Dahmer, 22 years old, of No. 28 Jackson street, Manhattan.

"You don't live in Philadelphia now," said Captain Connelley.

"I have seen you at the race track many times," said Dahmer. "I was born in Philadelphia, but I have lived at present at No. 28 Jackson street, Manhattan."

He was sent to the Brooklyn detectives for photographing.

This hold-up was the fourth in Long Island City within the past three weeks, but this is the first capture.

The police say that but for the breaking of the show case, Feinberg might have been killed in the store.

Hotel Empire Modern Throughout.
Among the numerous fine hotels for which New York is noted, there is perhaps none which is better qualified than the Hotel Empire, thirty-third street and Broadway, to supply all the needs of a family who wish to visit the city, are looking for the comforts of a home, the location is admirable, and from it all parts of the city may be easily reached, either by the elevated road or any of the numerous lines of surface cars which pass the door. The hotel itself is modern and up to date, the rooms are large and fitted up in the latest style, and both the service and table are all that can be desired. A desirable feature is a reading-room and library for the use of guests, where are to be found the standard magazines, weeklies and dailies of this country, as well as many from Europe and Canada. Unlike some other of our hotels, its patrons can be accommodated here at a reasonable cost, and any one who intends coming to New York will do well to write for descriptive circular and rates.

FRIGHTENED TO DEATH BY THE SEVERE STORM.
New York, Oct. 2.—Albert Spoor, 22, of No. 54 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, was taken suddenly ill of a fishing with a party of friends in Pelham Bay, and died shortly after being landed at New York. He had been suffering for some time with heart trouble. His physician, Dr. J. H. Spoor, who lives at No. 54 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, said probably the excitement of the storm had brought on the end for Spoor.

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HOMESICK DOG MAKES A HUNDRED-MILE TRIP.
Boston, Oct. 3.—After a journey of more than 100 miles, an Irish setter belonging to J. W. Moreton of Garfield avenue, Bedford, returned home yesterday.

The dog, named "Buddy," was taken to New York by Mr. Moreton a week ago, to remain until Thanksgiving. Becoming homesick, the animal undertook the return trip to Bedford, was recognized by a friend of Mr. Moreton's and taken to him.

ALLIGATOR SHOWED FIGHT.
Critic Resisted Transfer to His Winter Tank.

New York, Oct. 2.—Bound with ropes, from which they struggled desperately to escape, sixteen alligators in the menagerie in Central Park were transferred to winter quarters. Critto, the largest alligator in the zoo, was rebellious during the entire journey from the outdoor tank to the lion house and, using his tail as a weapon, forced the keepers to keep a respectful distance.

Sleepy and apparently indifferent, the larger alligators paid no attention to William Snyder and other keepers when they colored the tank and began placing the small animals in buses. Then the keepers returned to move the large alligators. Snyder, succeeded in lassoing, roped about Critto, and the journey to the lion house began. When he had been dragged about half the distance Critto swept his tail about so rapidly that the keepers narrowly escaped the blows. When he had become exhausted he was dragged into the tank. Critto is about nine feet long.

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HE THEN FALLS UNCONSCIOUS.
Patrolman, Bent on Same Daring Errand, Finds Suffocating Man and Carries Him From Danger.

SLIPPED COIN IN HER HAND.
As Hospital Surgeons Labored in Vain and Child's Life Ebbd She Pleaded for Dolly.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Waukegan, Wis., Oct. 2.—A large golden eagle measuring seven feet four inches from tip to tip of the wings, was killed by Randolph Hillier, a farmer, residing in the town of New Berlin, after a fight with the bird, which did not come out of without numerous scratches and wounds.

While seated at the supper table, Hillier heard a commotion among the poultry. Thinking a weasel was attacking his chickens, he seized his hat and ran toward the barn. Proceeding to the chicken yard he was amazed to see a huge bird imprisoned in the wire netting which surrounded the space apportioned to the poultry. On the ground lay several fowls which had been killed. The farmer recognized the invader as an eagle, and, running to the barn, secured the chicken-coop of a wagon standing there and returned to the inclosure, where he attacked the bird. The eagle put up a great fight, and Hillier was badly scratched by the bird's claws. By being beaten in the face by the bird's huge wings he was unable to approach close enough to cope with his antagonist, and he decided to change the plan of action, turning to the house, he secured a rifle, and with two shots killed the bird.

Not until he brought it to the city this morning did he know that it was known as the golden eagle. He stated that he had attributed late thefts of poultry to the eagle, and he had been in this part of the country. The bird was taken to Milwaukee, where it will be mounted.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, Oct. 2.—"Can't I get the dolly first?" pleaded little Annie Jedlicka, as the ambulance horse was driven at a run on the chance that the girl's life might be saved by an immediate operation.

She had been run over by a heavy wagon in front of her home at No. 1358 Avenue A, near East Seventy-third street. While she lay in the street bravely bearing the pain a stranger had pressed a quarter into her little hand "to buy a dolly with."

"I want my dolly," she murmured to the hospital surgeon, who was urging the driver to speed the faster, for there was only the barest chance that the girl could live, and every instant until she was on the operating table counted.

"And I'll have my dolly, won't I?" were her last words before an anæsthetic was administered.

Still clutching the quarter when she regained consciousness, she died a little later, and death hardened her clasp upon it. When Doctor O'Hanlon, Coroner's physician, performed an autopsy the coin was still in the little fingers. The hospital surgeons told him the story and the mother was left where it was found.

"Annie will have her dolly," went the child's mother, "I have one which will be buried with her to-morrow."

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Hunter Is Killed by Charge From His Own Gun.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, Oct. 2.—While out squirrel hunting William Case, son of Peter Case, who lives about three and one-half miles from Benton, was accidentally shot in the side. He lived but a short time after the accident. Case was not far from his home when the accident happened. The trigger of his gun caught in the brush and the entire contents of the gun went into his side. After being shot he had sufficient presence of mind to fire the gun four times in rapid succession, and these were heard by Henry Smith, a farmer, residing near by. He lived just long enough to tell Smith how the accident happened. He was about 27 years of age and is survived by his wife.

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